INSTHE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the polication of:
Schmaus et al.

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Examiner:

For: ANTIMICROBIALLY ACTIVE 4-METHYL-4-ARYL-2-PENTANOLS,

PETITION

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THEIR PREPARATION AND USE

August 18, 2004

Dear Sir:

This is a petition to accept a late claim of priority under 35 U.S.C. 120 from PCT/EP02/09793 (filed September 3, 2002) which is based on German application no. 101 43 434.0 (filed September 5, 2001). Enclosed is a corrected Application Data Sheet.

The entire delay between the date the claim was due under paragraph (a)(2)(ii) of 37 CFR 1.78 and the present date was unintentional.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1460.00 to cover the petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) and the surcharge under 37 CFR 1.17(t).

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Application Information

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Antimicrobially Active 4-Methyl-4-Aryl-

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Title Line Three:

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Priority Information

This application claims priority under

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and under 35 U.S.C. 119 to:

DE 101 43 434.0 (filed 5 Sept 2001)

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